




Re: Fw: Pathogen Data 
Douglas Pabst to: Rosella OConnor
Cc: Antony Tseng, Felix Locicero

02/07/2012 08:50 AM

Excellent! Hopefully we can move forward. Please let me know if you will need extra money.

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Rosella OConnor FYI - the data was not useable - because of loca...

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FYI - the data was not useable - because of location of monitoring station and age of data. Antony and I are working with NJDEP and HydroQual to set up the sensitivity runs.

Rosella

-----Felix Locicero/R2/USEPA/US wrote: -----

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Doug,

No one in the TMDLST is going to respond to Jill's email at any time.

Felix

Douglas Pabst---02/02/2012 10:01:12 AM---Hi, When can we discuss this with Robin? Please don't respond to Jill until we get some answers.

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Hi,

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Tx-Doug

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I don't think you were copied on this email from Jill Lipoti.

Felix

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All,

I'm a little shocked to see that this is data readily available from the NWIS database and it had not been considered before as part of the modeling effort. Shouldn't we do a search on NWIS to look for any other applicable data? Or putting it differently, with the data available through this link, are we convinced that we now have all data with any nexus to the Harbor modeling effort? Is there any data in STORET that we have overlooked? Are there any other places where data might reside that we should check?

It would be awkward if someone found that we had not used all readily available scientific data for decision-making on this issue.

Jill

>>> Marzooq Alebus 2/1/2012 3:24 PM >>>
Hi Robin,

Here are the link to all the data sampled at Passaic R upstream of Dundee:

http://nwis.waterdata.usgs.gov/nj/nwis/qwdata?search_station_nm=PassaicRiver&search_station_nm_match_type=beginning&format=station_list&sort_key=site_no&group_key=NONE&inventory_output=0&rdb_inventory_output=file&TZoutput=0&parm_cd_compare=Greaterthan&radio_parm_cds=all_parm_cds&qw_attributes=0&qw_sample_wide=wide&rdb_qw_attributes=0&date_format=YYYY-MM-DD&rdb_compression=file&list_of_search_criteria=search_station_nm

I hope the attached data can be of some use to provide long term assessment of the boundary at Passaic R at Dundee

Pathogen indicators sampled from year 2000 to 2011:

31615 - Fecal coliform, EC broth method, water, most probable number per 100 milliliters
31633 - Escherichia coli, m-TEC MF method, water, colonies per 100 milliliters
31649 - Enterococci, m-E MF method, water, colonies per 100 milliliters
31686 - Total coliform, water, most probable number per 100 milliliters

Helen, could you please check if this is all the data we have

If you've question, please let's know

Thank you,
Marco

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